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City of Brookhaven Council Votes on Annexation Petitions CHOA and Executive Park petitions approved

Brookhaven, GA, December 8, 2014 – Tonight, Brookhaven City Council voted to approve annexation petitions from Children's Healthcare of Atlanta and Executive Park into City of Brookhaven city limits. Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, a Georgia nonprofit corporation, and Executive Park filed a petition to annex into the city in early October. This vote comes after public hearings and multiple conversations with city officials and CHOA and Executive Park representatives to address concerns with service delivery to the areas.

"I think it's an honor for Children's Healthcare of Atlanta to have requested annexation into the City of Brookhaven. This opportunity allow us to play an integral role in expanding their mission of giving care and comfort to sick children and saving their lives, as a parent this means so much", said Mayor J. Max Davis.

"The benefits to the City of Brookhaven will far exceed what simply comes from the annexed areas. We knew what we knew and we knew what we didn't know, but what scared us what not knowing what we didn't know. That is the reason we deferred action numerous times and extensively vetted each petition," said Councilmember Joe Gebbia.

City Council also voted to approve a Cost Defrayment Agreement between the city and CHOA effective immediately not to exceed seven years. This agreement will allow the city to generate revenue to offset the cost of city services such as public safety and code enforcement.

To view the Cost Defrayment Agreement and other related documents visit here.

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